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Inventors: **Fabio GOVONI et al.**) Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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Application No. **PCT/IB01/01305** under)
35 U.S.C. 371, for **METHOD FOR**
SETTING UP A DIALYSIS TREATMENT
IN A DIALYSIS MACHINE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add claims 12 and 13 as follows:

12. (New) Device for setting up a dialysis treatment comprising a microprocessor, a data input and a screen, the device being able to perform a method as claimed in claim 1.

13. (New) A machine comprising:

an apparatus for preparing a dialysate;

a dialysate circuit;

a blood circuit; and

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